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SUBJ: WORLD BANK/IMF PROPOSALS TO INCREASE EXECUTIVE  
DIRECTORS' AND ALTERNATES' SALARIES

REF: STATE 132801

1. AS WITH PREVIOUS ISSUE OF INCREASE IN IBRD/  
IMF STAFF SALARIEZS, DANES (IN CONCERT WITH THEIR  
NORDIC ASSOCIATES) ARE "NOT INCLINED TO BE ACTIVE  
IN OPPOSITION," IN THE WORDS OF FONOFF OFFICIAL  
IN CHARGE OF IBRD MATTERS (BJORN OLSEN). CENTRAL  
BANK IS ALSO PREPARED TO ACCEPT INCREASE. AS  
RESULT, WE HAVE BEEN GIVEN TO UNDERSTAND THAT  
DANES WILL CONCUR IN PROPOSED REMUNERATION INCREASES.

2. WE HAD WIDELY CIRCULATED U.S. ARGUEMENTS AGAINST  
INCREASES (REFTEL)TO NO APPARENT AVAIL. OLSEN  
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POINTED OUT THAT, FROM NORDIC VIEWPOINT, THERE

IS GOOD ARGUMENT IN INCREASED ALLOWANCES FOR  
EDS AND AEDS SINCE NORDIC REPS ARE ROTATED EVERY  
TWO YEARAN THUS MAKING WASHINGTON AN EXPENSIVE  
TOUR. HE NOTED THAT LAST DANISH ED KASTOFT HAD  
TOLD HIM THAT HE COULD HAVE DONE BETTER FINAN-  
CIALLY AS A DANISH AMBASSADOR THAN HE DID IN WASHINGTON  
ASSIGNMENT WITH ITS HIGH HOUSING AND ENTERTAIN-  
MENT COSTS. DANES THEREFORE FEEL THERE IS JUSTI-  
FICATION IN KEEPING ED SALARIES HIGH ENOUGH TO  
ATTRACT WORTHWHILE PRIPLE TO SERVE.

3. OLSEN ADDED THAT DANES ASSUME PROPOOSED IN-  
CREASE IN ALLOWANCES WOULD MEAN REDUCTION OR  
ELIMINATION OF OTHER SUPPLEMENTS NOW AVAILABLE  
FOR EDS. WHEN ENBOFF WONDERED WHETHER THIS WOULD  
AUTOMATICALLY FOLLOW, OLSEN INDICATED THAT DANES  
MIGHT WANT TO OBTAIN CLARIFICATION ON THIS POINT.  
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